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We have just received the last voice of our importation orders.

We have \$10,000 Worth of Stylish and Fashionable

Straw Hats & Bonnets

To offer at a sacrifice if necessary to dispose of them.

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ENORMOUS STOCK OF GOODS.

Our prices will not only speak for themselves, but we are confident we are sure to please all in need of

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We have also a stock of \$25,000 worth of

FLOWERS, RIBBONS, LACES, PLUMES AND TIPS.

Veilings and Silks, and Jerseys and Lace Caps. Also an Elegant Line of

HAT TRIMMINGS.

In silver and gold, which must be sold no matter how great the sacrifice.

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English Linen Dusters,

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—ALSO—

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We have just received a large lot of all styles Men's Low Shoes. All first class goods, but must be sold this season. Ladies' and Children's low shoes in all styles. Canvas shoes for the mountains and seashore. Lawn Tennis, Bicycle and Boat shoes. Our general stock is larger than ever, thus enabling us to suit the most fastidious. A call from our friends and the public is appreciated. Army and Navy Headquarters.

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Artificial Stone Paving Comp'y

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Artistic and Fine Work in Cement a Specialty.

Our Skilled Workmen lay the finest Pavements.

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Asphaltum, Artificial Stone.

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Kitchens, Sidelwalks, Stables and Cellars laid with neatness and promptness.

Owners of property are notified that they will be held responsible for infringements of this patent. The United States Courts for the District of Columbia have recently enjoined H. L. Crawford and the Commissioners of the District of Columbia from laying this pavement. All artificial stone pavements other than that laid under the patent are worthless.

JOS. C. McKIBBIN, President.

Telephone Call 467-2.

WE don't need the Weather Bureau to inform us of the weather, as we can feel for ourselves; but the public need us to tell them where they can get

Great Bargains.

Children's Knee Pants, 50c.

Beautiful \$2.00 Sailor Suits, now only \$1.50; nice ones worth \$2.50, will sell for \$2.

A nice Seersucker Coat and Vest, warranted to keep you cool as a cucumber, only \$2.00. Office Coats for almost nothing.

Ladies' and Gents' Lawn Tennis Shoes a specialty.

Also nice "bykle" and baseball shoes, at

J. W. SELBY'S,

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Combination Letter Sheet and Envelope!

For Letters, Notices, Bills, Statements, Circulars, etc. of all sizes, in boxes of 25, 50, 100, 250, 500 and 1,000 each.

Will Disappear with Envelopes.

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WOODWARD & LOTHROP.

Friday, Remnant Day.

Judging from the splendid success of our Regular Weekly "Remnant" Sales on Fridays, we think our customers now thoroughly understand the principles upon which they are conducted, and fully appreciate the opportunity of buying "Short Lengths," "Odd Sizes," "Broken Lots," etc., at the greatly reduced prices at which they are offered.

"REMNANTS," ETC., IN LACE DEPT.

The past week has been a busy one in this department, consequently we shall display more than the usual number of "Short Lengths," etc., which, to insure their prompt disposal on "Remnant" Day, we shall mark at less than the usual "Remnant" prices.

70 "Short Lengths" of Laces, comprising Torches, Medals, Oriental, Spanish and Spanish Gimpes, Egyptian, etc. also few "Short Lengths" of French Laces, in white and cream.

At very low "Remnant" prices:

1 "Odd Piece" of 7-inch Spanish Gimpes Lace, 7 inches wide; the narrow widths to match the above having been sold, hence the reduction.

Regular Price, \$1.00. "Remnant" Price, .35c.

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9 "Short Lengths" of All-over Laces, in Oriental, Spanish and Spanish Gimpes, lengths from 1/2 to 3/4 yards, at exceptionally low "Remnant" prices.

"Odds" in Ladies' Collars—

Not caring to duplicate this style, we close the balance on hand as "Remnants," at the following low Remnant prices:

40 Ladies' Embroidered Edge Collars, size 12 to 14 1/2 inches.

Regular Price, .25c. "Remnant" Price, .12c.

(Second floor; take the elevator.)

CURTAIN DEPARTMENT.

The following "Odds" and "Short Lengths" will be closed out Friday at low "Remnant" prices.

6 "Remnants" of Curtain Swings, length 1 1/2 to 2 yards, from \$2.50 to \$5.00 per yard.

5 "Remnants" of Curtain Swings, from \$2.50 to \$5.00 per yard.

5 "Remnants" of Raw Silk—

2 1/2 yards of Raw Silk, from \$1.75 to \$1.00 per yard.

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"Remnants" of Colored Madras Curtain Laces—

1 "Odd Piece," 20 yards of 31-inch Colored Madras Lace, from \$1.00 to .25c.

Regular Price, \$1.00. "Remnant" Price, .15c.

10 yards of Colored Madras Lace, from \$1.00 to .15c.

Regular Price for piece, \$1.00. "Remnant" Price for piece, .15c.

4 1/2 yards of Colored Madras Lace, from \$1.00 to .15c.

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GOVERNMENT GOSSIP.

OFFICIAL AND UNOFFICIAL IN AND ABOUT THE DEPARTMENTS.

Executive Appointments To-day—The Secretary of the Mexican Legation—

WILLIAM K. BARNUM, of Arizona, to be United States Marshal for Arizona Territory.

JOSEPH L. MORAN, of South Carolina, Secretary of the American Legation to Mexico.

RAMOS GUERRAS, assistant surgeon in the navy.

The President has commissioned the following postmasters: Bartholomew Tristram, Marion, Ohio, and Edward Muller, at Putnam, Conn.

The Cabinet Meeting.

The Cabinet meeting to-day was a short one, and several members stated that only routine matters had been considered.

The Butler Mansion Lease.

Comptroller Durham has declined to pass upon the legality of a lease of the Butler mansion, on Capitol Hill, until after the Senate committee has acted upon it.

Mrs. Bayard Improving.

According to advices received at the Department of State this morning Mrs. Bayard's condition is somewhat improved, and she is resting more comfortably than yesterday.

The Commissioners' Requestion.

Commissioner Edmunds waited upon Comptroller Durham to-day to discuss the recent requisition for \$300,000, which was authorized by the House of Representatives.

The Mexican Legation's Secretary.

Joseph L. Moran, appointed by the President to-day as Secretary of Legation to Mexico, is a native of South Carolina and a son-in-law of General Frisbie.

Auditor Alexander to be Believed.

Auditor Alexander is about to go West on personal business. In notifying Secretary Manning of his intention, Judge Alexander said that his resignation had been in the Secretary's hands for some weeks, and that he must insist upon being relieved by July 20.

Guarding the Border.

Colonel Albert P. Morrow, Sixth Cavalry, has been ordered to the Mexican border with troops C, G, and L of his regiment from Fort Bayard, New Mexico, to take station at Clevelândia, Alma Vejo and Emery Spring, the permanent water station between Lake Palomas and the Arizona line.

The Agricultural Convention.

At the Agricultural Convention to-day resolutions were adopted in favor of the establishment of a signal station at every agricultural college in the country, and the creation of a division of Agriculture in the Department of the Interior.

Minor and Personal.

D. M. Crawford, a special timber agent in Colorado, has been dismissed.

This being Cabinet day the President enforced his rule excluding all visitors.

All the members of the Cabinet were present at the regular meeting this afternoon.

Lieutenant Herbert S. Whipple, Tenth Cavalry, recently graduated, is visiting in the city.

Lambert Tree of Chicago, qualified at the State Department this afternoon as Minister to Belgium.

Charles Payne of Midville, N. J., has been discharged from practice before the Interior Department.

The President has accepted the resignation of P. B. S. Pinchback as surveyor of customs at New Orleans.

General McLernand is mentioned out of the blue as having been shown for the Chicago pension agency.

The Attorney-General has appointed Colonel Baker of Brooklyn as an examiner at the Department of Justice.

The War Department authorities think that the news of the Indian troubles have ceased to be of an alarming character.

The President has suspended Mook L. Blunt, register, and Michael H. Fitch, receiver of the land office at Pine Bluff, Ark.

Friends of Colonel John Gibbon of the Seventh Infantry hope for his promotion from Brigadier-General Angus retire.

Hugh Harokson of Georgia has been appointed chief of a division in the Sixth Auditor's office of the Treasury Department.

The State Department has received a report from Colonel J. Fenner Lee of Carroll County, Md., as secretary of the Austrian Legation, that "it is a most unfortunate one and sure to bear evil fruit in the fall elections in that country."

Senator Harris came into the White House yesterday leading by the hand General A. B. Upshaw's bright five-year-old, May Bradford, a lovely vision in blue satin and lace. Upon being presented to the President, the little one assured him "she was delighted to meet a

A DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

Charles Knott Attempts Murder and Kills Himself.

Officer P. D. Hauke, while patrolling his beat this morning, shortly after 10 o'clock, was attracted by the reports of five pistol shots, the sound coming from a frame house on the northeast corner of Third and K streets southeast, occupied by George Morris, a white man employed as a track hand on the Baltimore & Potomac Railroad.

Upon entering the room the lifeless body of a man about thirty-five years of age was found lying in a pool of blood on the parlor floor. The man was Charles Knott, a shoemaker residing on Virginia avenue near Seventh street, southeast, and who has been generally regarded as a lunatic.

Knott had been a constant visitor at Morris' house until a year ago, when he suddenly ceased coming. He had not visited the house during that time until this morning, when he came to the room, which he had given to the family. Mrs. Guinevere Morris, wife of George Morris, said she would get the photograph, and as she turned to leave the room, Knott fired at her, the ball taking effect in her temple, but not penetrating very deeply. She then ran from the room to the kitchen, and Knott fired two more shots at her, the greater amount of the second entering her back and passing through the left lung.

Knott, leaving his victim to death, then deliberately committed suicide by blowing out his brains. He died instantly.

Mrs. Morris is now lying in a dangerous condition at her residence, 1000 E. Herbert, who is attending her case, in speaking of the matter to a Tribune reporter, pronounced the wounds very dangerous, but not necessarily fatal.

There was no cause for the shooting, which was simply the work of a man who has been a lunatic all his life.

The weapon used was a very small six-shooter of the Empire brand. The cartridges were twenty-two calibre. It contained a live round, and Knott had one unexploded cartridge and five empty shells.

Coroner D. C. Patterson viewed the body of Knott and gave a certificate of burial for death caused by suicide. He deemed an inquest unnecessary. The body was ordered to be turned over to his family, which was on hand.

THE DISTRICT OFFICES.

No Selection Yet Made for a Single One of Them.

It was officially stated at the White House to-day that all reports as to two even one of the District Commissioners having been selected by the President are unfounded.

"You can officially deny that either District Commissioner has been determined upon," said the President's private secretary.

"All the appointments to be announced when General West's term expires."

"It is impossible to tell. No selection having been made and little consideration being given to the subject, it is impossible to say whether the President will or will not reach a decision in time to act so promptly."

Has reviewed the papers of the various candidates:

"No, he has not got that far yet. He has not formally taken up the matter, although he has been looking into it."

"Will one of the Commissioners be a Republican?"

"Although no official statement has been made on this subject, I guess it is safe to take it for granted that he will."

"Can you tell when the President will take the matter formally under advisement?"

"Probably very soon, but I cannot say when."